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**Sent**: 10/17/2017 10:01:17 PM

To: Forsgren, Lee [Forsgren.Lee@epa.gov]
CC: Greenwalt, Sarah [greenwalt.sarah@epa.gov]

Subject: RE: Penobscot Nation

Yes, I agree we should coordinate before sending any type of response.

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From: Forsgren, Lee

Sent: Tuesday, October 17, 2017 1:20 PMTo: Fotouhi, David <Fotouhi.David@epa.gov>Cc: Greenwalt, Sarah <greenwalt.sarah@epa.gov>

Subject: Re: Penobscot Nation

## David

Give me a call on my cell 202-578-7458. Dan is an old friend but we should talk before we answer him.

Lee

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 17, 2017, at 1:03 PM, Fotouhi, David < Fotouhi. David @epa.gov > wrote:

FYI—let's discuss when we have a chance.

## **David Fotouhi**

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**Sent:** Tuesday, October 17, 2017 10:43 AM

To: Fotouhi, David < Fotouhi. David@epa.gov >; Schwab, Justin < Schwab. Justin@epa.gov >

Cc: James Cason < james cason@ios.doi.gov>

Subject: Penobscot Nation

David and Justin,

I understand that EPA continues to deliberate on how to respond to two petitions for reconsideration of EPA's actions regarding water quality standards in Maine.

As a result, the Penobscot Nation has advised the Department that it would be helpful for us to clarify in writing whether the former Solicitor's 2015 opinion on the fishing rights of Maine Tribes, which EPA relied on in its issuance of the water quality standards, remains the position of the Solicitor's Office.

I have reviewed the opinion, and see no legal or policy reason to revisit it.

Please do not hesitate to contact me or Associate Deputy Secretary Cason, cc'd, if you have any further questions.



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